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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No. 09/814,123; Filed: March 22, 2001
For: **Aryl Substituted Pyrazoles, Triazoles and Tetrazoles, and the Use
Thereof**
Inventors: Hogenkamp *et al.*
Our Ref: 1861.1270001/JMC/THN

Sir:

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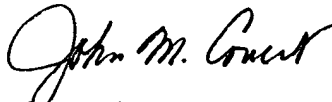
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